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In re the Application of

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For: POLYMERS, COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS OF USE FOR FOAMS LAUNDRY  
DETERGENTS SHOWER RINSES AND COAGULANTS

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**w/ CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.97(e)(1)**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Pursuant to Rules 56 and 98, Applicants hereby call the attention of the Patent Office to the references listed on the attached Form PTO 1449.

Applicants present these references so that the Patent Office may, in the first instance, determine any relevancy thereof to the presently claimed invention, see Beckman Instruments, Inc. v. Chemtronics, Inc., 439 F.2d 1369, 1380, 165 USPQ 355, 364 (5th Cir. 1970). Also see Patent Office Rule 104. Applicants respectfully request that these references be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application and made of record herein and appear among the "Reference Cited" on any patent to issue herefrom.

In fulfillment of 37 CFR 1.97(c) and 1.97(e)(1), it is hereby certified that each item of information contained in the attached Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication (copy enclosed) dated February 3, 2005 from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

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